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TAGS: OPIV, TD (MRS. CARTER)

SUBJECT: MRS. CARTER'S VISIT - RURAL PROBLEMS

1. POSTS ARE REQUESTED TO BE PREPARED TO DISCUSS WITH
ADVANCE TEAM FOR MRS. CARTER'S VISIT POSSIBILITIES OF HER
DEMONSTRATING AN INTEREST IN PROBLEMS OF THE RURAL POOR.
EACH POST SHOULD PRODUCE RECOMMENDATIONS BASED
ON LOCAL SITUATION, PROGRAMS BEING IMPLEMENTED TO ASSIST
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THE SECTOR, REQUIREMENTS FOR FURTHER PROGRESS, PARTICULAR
SENSITIVITIES OF HOST GOVERNMENT, ETC. PURPOSE WOULD BE
TO FOCUS HOST COUNTRY DECISION MAKING GROUPS' ATTENTION
ON THE URGENCY OF A RENEWED COMMITMENT TO DEAL WITH THE
PROBLEMS OF THE POOR IN THE RURAL AND ESPECIALLY THE AGRI-
CULTURAL SECTOR.

2. THIS SUGGESTION IS MADE ON THE UNDERSTANDING THAT RURAL DEVELOPMENT IS OF CRUCIAL IMPORTANCE AND THAT IT WILL REQUIRE A SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN NATIONAL ATTENTION AND POLITICAL WILL IN MOST LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES. WE RECOGNIZE THAT THIS ATTENTION GETS INTO SENSITIVE AREAS, BUT WE BELIEVE THAT IT CAN VERY REASONABLY BE PRESENTED AS A NORMAL INTEREST OF MRS. CARTER, REFLECTING HER OWN BACKGROUND, HER FAMILIARITY WITH THE PROBLEMS OF OUR RURAL

SOUTH AND HER OWN EXPERIENCE WITH THE DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS AREA OVER THE PAST TWENTY YEARS. MOST OF THE PRESS ATTENTION TO MRS. CARTER WILL BE IN URBAN SETTINGS AND A RURAL EXPOSURE WOULD PROVIDE USEFUL BALANCE IN HER DIRECT CONTACTS AND IN THE MEDIA. POSSIBILITIES FOR SOME RURAL EXPOSURE MIGHT PRESENT THEMSELVES AT PROJECTS OF SUCH REPRESENTATIVE ORGANIZATIONS AS THE FEDERATION OF NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATIONS IN COLOMBIA, THE INTER-AMERICAN FOUNDATION OR ACCION IN NORTHEASTERN BRAZIL. OR AN AGRARIAN COMMUNITY OUTSIDE LIMA.

3. POSTS SHOULD KEEP IN MIND THAT, TO MAXIMUM EXTENT POSSIBLE, HER ACTIVITIES SHOULD HAVE SUBSTANTIVE CONTENT AND NOT BE SIMPLY CEREMONIAL.

4. FOR KINGSTON: IN VIEW OF JAMAICA'S HEAVY DEPENDENCE ON TOURISM, IT MIGHT ALSO BE DESIRABLE FOR PUBLIC IMPACT REASONS FOR MRS. CARTER TO VISIT SOME ASPECT OF THE JAMAICAN SCENE IDENTIFIED WITH TOURISM. REQUEST YOU CONSIDER THIS ASPECT IN YOUR CONSULTATIONS WITH ADVANCE TEAM. CHRISTOPHER
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